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Applicant:

Ladlow et al.

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09/509,147 ✓

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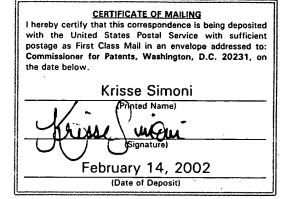
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Examiner:

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.
- [] Small Entity statement is enclosed.
- [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

| | Claims as Amended | | Previously Paid For | | Extra Claim Preser | S | Rate | | Additional Claims Fee |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|---|------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|---------|---|--------------------------|
| Total Claims: | 20 | _ | 20 | = | 0 | × | \$18.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| Independents: | 3 | | 3 | = | 0 | × | \$84.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims: + \$280.00 | | | | | | = | \$0.00 | | |
| CLAIMS FEE TOTAL: | | | | | | = | \$0.00 | | |

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

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| [] | Extension for response filed within the first month: | \$110.00 | \$0.00 |
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| [X] | Extension for response filed within the second month: | \$400.00 | \$400.00 |
| [] | Extension for response filed within the third month: | \$920.00 | \$0.00 |
| [] | Extension for response filed within the fourth month: | \$1,440.00 | \$0.00 |
| [] | Extension for response filed within the fifth month: | \$1,960.00 | \$0.00 |
| | EXTENSION | N FEE TOTAL: | \$400.00 |
| • | CLAIMS AND EXTENSION | N FEE TOTAL: | \$400.00 |
| [] | Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract | ½ of above): | \$200.00 |
| | | TOTAL FEE: | \$200.00 |

- Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-1450 in the amount of \$200.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$400.00 is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1450. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1450.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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